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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: SEWERAGE INSTALLATIONS

1. WATER AND SEWERAGE AUTHORITY (WASA) IS PLANNING MAJOR SEWERAGE INSTALLATION BETWEEN PORT OF SPAIN AND ARIMA (ABOUT 15 MILES). THREE LOCAL FIRMS (PLANNING ASSOCIATES, 52 JERNINGHAM AVENUE, PORT OF SPAIN; DR. EMRU MILLETTE, 1 HERBERT STREET, PORT OF SPAIN; AND TRINTOPLAN CONSULTANTS, ORANGE GROVE ROAD, TACARIGUA) HAVE BEEN INVITED TO SUBMIT BIDS FOR CONSULTANCY TO WASA TO DESIGN THE PROJECT. THESE BIDS ARE DUE ON APRIL 17.

2. PLANNING ASSOCIATES MAINTAINS CONSULTANCY ARRANGEMENTS WITH BURGESS AND NIPLE OF COLUMBUS, OH; TRINTOPLAN WITH CH2M OF CORVALLIS, OREGON. DR. MILLETTE HAS BEEN DISCUSSING ASSOCIATION WITH HOWARD HUMPHREYS OF U.K., BUT WOULD BE WILLING TO CONSIDER OFFERS OF PARTICIPATION BY U.S. CONSULTANTS.

3. CONSTRUCTION ON PROJECT WILL PROBABLY START AROUND THE END OF THE YEAR, AND COST HAS BEEN ESTIMATED AT ABOUT US \$70 MILLION. WHILE EXACT REQUIREMENTS WILL NOT BE KNOWN UNTIL DESIGN IS COMPLETED, PROJECT IS EXPECTED TO PROVIDE FOR TREATMENT PLANTS WITH CAPACITY IN EXCESS OF 45 MILLION GALLONS PER DAY AND TWENTY PUMPING STATIONS FOR FLOWS FROM ONE TO 45 MILLION GALLONS PER DAY.

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4. PROJECT WAS BROUGHT TO OUR ATTENTION BY LOCAL MANUFACTURERS' REPRESENTATIVE WHO ASKED OUR ASSISTANCE IN LOCATING SUPPLIERS OF EQUIPMENT. HIS REQUEST IS BEING SUBMITTED SEPARATELY AS TO. IN SIMILAR PROJECTS, PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT HAS BEEN AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE BIDS OF THE CONSTRUCTION FIRM, BUT THIS DOES NOT RULE OUT LOCAL REPRESENTATION FOR SUPPLIERS, PARTICULARLY ON SMALLER ITEMS.

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